

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: WAFER STAGING PLATFORM



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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 30, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: